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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Eric Thwaites Confirmation No: 3883

Serial No.: 10/734,432 Group Art Unit: 1657

Filed: December 12, 2003 Examiner: Petersen, Clark

For: Flocculation With Divalent Salt

## AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed **November 16, 2006**.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of 1 month from February 16, 2007 to March 16, 2007. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$120.00.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be **\$120.00**, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 1, 2007 /Robert L. Starnes, Reg. No. 41324/

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